

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

P.S. – Roads & Buildings Department – Sri A.Balrajaiah, SE (R&B) (Retired) – Failure as Presenting Officer – Disciplinary action initiated – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 208

Dated: 09.02.2009.

Read the following:-

- 1) From the ENC (R&B), Admn., Lr.No.2099/VC(3)/2002, dt.25.06.08.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.1241, TR&B Department, dated 14.08.2008.
- 3) From Sri A.Balrajaiah, SE (R&B) (Retd), representation, dt.12.9.08.
- 4) From the ENC (R&B), Admn., Lr.No.2099/VC(3)/2002, dt.25.09.08.

O R D E R:-

In the reference 2nd read above, articles of charges were framed against Sri A.Balrajaiah, Superintending Engineer (R&B) (Retd) for his failure in presenting a disciplinary case before the Inquiring Authority against the Charged Officers viz., Sri M.R.K.P.H.Charyulu, EE (Elcl.) (Retired) and Sri Gandhi Prasad, EE (Elcl) (Retired).

2) Sri A.Balrajaiah, in the reference 3rd read above, has submitted written statement defence and denied the charges. He has submitted that he attended the inquiry and presented the case on behalf of Disciplinary Authority. He prepared a note on the charges and submitted to the Inquiring Authority. He retired from service on 31.07.2004.

3) The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Admn., in the reference 4th read above, has stated that being a Presenting Officer, the extent of his role is to act as per the instructions of the Member, Commissioner of Inquiries. The Presenting Officer has no independent role to play and requested to drop further action against Sri A.Balrajaiah, SE (R&B) now retired.

4) The Government, after careful examination of the matter, have observed that the Charged Officer has retired from service on 31.07.2004 and charges framed on 14.08.2008 under APRP Rules, 1980. Therefore, four years limitation period is over before institution of the disciplinary proceedings against the Charged Officer and decided to drop further action against Sri A.Balrajaiah, SE (R&B) (Retired) as per Rule 9(2)(b)(ii) of APRP Rules, 1980.

5) Accordingly, the Government hereby drop further action against Sri A.Balrajaiah, SE (R&B) (Retired) in the matter.

6) The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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(Through the ENC (R&B), Admn., Hyderabad.)
The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration, Hyd.
Copy to:
The Secretary to VC, APVC, Hyderabad.
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